

A.—Sri KADIDAL MANJAPPA  
(Minister for Revenue and Public Works).—

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| (a) Gomal ... .. | 115 | 14 |
| Cattle ... ..    | 614 | 00 |

(b) Yes.

1. Sri K. Venkataramaiah, Bagur.
2. Sri Hanumanthappa, Maragondanadibba.
3. Sri Asandi Thimmaiah, Maragondanadibba.

(c) An extent of 8-0 acres of land has been granted to one Sri K. Venkataramaiah of Bagur Village, during September 1953.

(d) Yes.

(e) Yes; Rs. 6,000.

#### *Appointment of Assistant Engineers.*

Q.—339. S. R. NAGAPPA SETTY  
(Shimoga).—

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(a) the number of vacancies in the cadre of Assistant Engineers, that occurred from February 1944 to November 1953;

(b) the number of Probationers appointed against these vacancies from February 1944 to 1953;

(c) the number of Surveyors promoted against promotional vacancies and the principle followed to fill up the same;

(d) the number of Surveyors promoted during December 1949 and the principle followed in their promotion;

(e) whether it is a fact that during December 1949, 63 Supervisors are promoted in ratio 1:1 from "General" to "Special" classes;

(f) whether an eligibility list of Surveyors will be prepared on the basis of principles enunciated in Government Order of 1944 in 1:3 ratio "General" to "Special" classes before taking up further promotions?

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(a) 162.

(b) 59.

(c) 104. Surveyors were promoted during the period referred to in (a) above in three batches in 1945, 1947 and 1949 against vacancies available on each occasion. Promotions in promotional vacancies are made on the basis of seniority and merit and this was done in the case of the first two batches consisting of 41 Surveyors. In the case of the third batch, seniority and merit together with the need for adequate communal representation were taken into consideration.

(d) 63—*Vide* reply to (c) above.

(e) The vacancies were not classified as "General" and "Special".

(f) The question of preparing an eligibility list is under consideration.

#### *Construction of General Hospital at Tiptur.*

Q.—408. Sri T. G. THIMME  
GOWDA (Tiptur).—

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(a) whether a proposal has been submitted by the Municipal Council, Tiptur, in regard to the building of a General Hospital in this town;

(b) whether any progress has been made in regard to the proposal and whether Government contemplate any further action in the immediate future?

A.—Sri T. CHANNIAH (Minister for Public Health and Local Self-Government).—

(a) Yes.

(b) The matter is under the consideration of Government.

#### *Phod Records in Tumkur District.*

Q.—416. Sri MALI MARIYAPPA  
(Pavagada).—

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(a) what is the number of phod records remaining undisposed of in each of the taluks of Tumkur District;